Member, Planning Commission has also been set up to look into the employment generation taking place and suggest measures to generate at least one hundred million jobs in a period of 10 years (Ten million in each year).

Child Labour at Restuarants and Dhabas

838. SHRI S. RAMACHANDRAN PILLAI: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware that there are number of unregistered small restaurants and dhabas and tea stalls where child labour is existing in Delhi; and

(b) what steps Government are considering to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL): (a) As per the information received from Govt. of the National Capital Territory of Delhi, there is no requirement of Registration for small restaurants, dhabas and tea stalls under the Delhi Shops & Establishment Act, 1954. During the Inspections conducted by the Inspectorate staff from time to time, some small restaurants, dhabas and tea stalls have been found employing Child Labour.

The Central Government is responsible for enforcement of the Child Labour (Prohibition & Regulation) Act, 1986, in Railways, major ports, mines, oil fields and establishments under the control of the Central Government. In all other cases, State/UT Governments are responsible for enforcement of the Act. Employers found employing children in occupations and processes prohibited under the Act are prosecuted under the provisions of the Act. Prosecutions are also launched against employers found employing children in violation of the Delhi Shops and Establishment Act, 1954 and the Factories Act, 1948.